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In re Application of:

Altug Koker et al.

Examiner: Jasmine Song

Application No.: 09/372,296

Art Group: 2187

Filed: August 11, 1999

For: **REDUCING MEMORY ACCESS  
LATENCIES FROM A BUS USING  
PRE-FETCHING AND CACHING**

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231-9998

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed January 19, 2001, please  
amend the above-identified Application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, lines 8 through 14, with the  
following rewritten paragraph:

--The peripheral devices 160<sub>1</sub> to 160<sub>p</sub> are connected to the peripheral bus 140 to  
perform peripheral tasks. Examples of peripheral devices include a network interface and a  
media interface. The network interface connects to communication channel such as the  
Internet. The Internet provides access to on-line service providers, Web browsers, and

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